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Cancellation No. 24,108

Galleon S.A., Bacardi-Martini U.S.A., Inc., and Bacardi & Company Limited

v.

Havana Club Holding, S.A., dba HCH, S.A., and Empresa Cubana Exportador De Alimentos y Productos Varios, S.A., dba Cubaexport, joined as a defendant

## Albert Zervas, Interlocutory Attorney

On January 21, 2003, the Board rendered a decision on respondent Havana Club Holding, S.A.'s ("HCH") "Motion Pursuant to the Government in the Sunshine Act" (filed September 10, 2002).

On February 19, 2003, HCH filed a motion for reconsideration of the Board's January 21, 2003 decision. However, on February 12, 2003, the Board suspended proceedings pending a decision by the Office of Foreign Assets Control ("OFAC") on the law firm of Fish & Neave's application for a specific license to represent Empresa Cubana Exportador De Alimentos y Productos Varios, S.A. ("Cubaexport") in this proceeding.

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The parties are ordered not to file any papers regarding HCH's motion for reconsideration of the Board's January 21, 2003 decision. If necessary and appropriate when proceedings are resumed, the parties will be allowed time to submit papers regarding HCH's motion for reconsideration. Any paper filed by any party in violation of this order will not be considered by the Board and will be returned to the party which filed the paper.

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To expedite matters, a copy of this order is being sent via facsimile as well as by first class mail.

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